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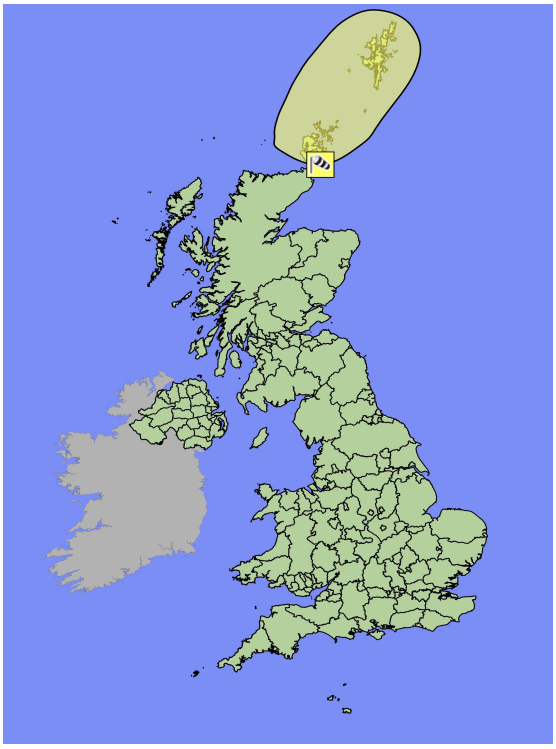

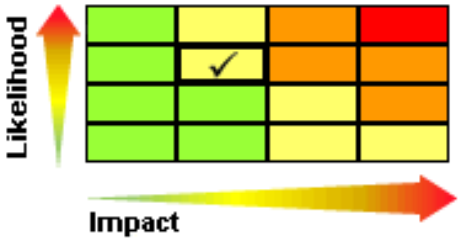

Chief Forecasters Assessment
An area of low pressure will run northeastwards close to northern Scotland later this afternoon and this evening. This will strengthen the southeasterly winds across the Northern Isles, especially Shetland, before the depression moves away northwards overnight.

The Met Office have issued a **Yellow Warning** of **Wind**

Valid from **13:00 on Wed, 13th Feb 2013** until **23:55 on Wed, 13th Feb 2013**

Southeasterly gales or severe gales will develop across Orkney and Shetland this afternoon with gusts of 60 to 70 mph. Winds will begin to ease down later this evening.

The public should be aware of possible travel disruption.

For more details please go to:
http://www.metoffice.gov.uk/public/weather/warnings

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- Orkney & Shetland
  - Orkney Islands
  - Shetland Islands

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